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Dear Mr. Tzallas,

This letter summarizes the status of the Whiting Refinery Facility Response Plan (FRP). The current FRP was prepared in 2012 and formally approved by EPA in a letter dated January 22, 2013. In 2013 and continuing to the present, the Whiting Refinery Modernization Project (WRMP) has been under construction. The FRP does not reflect changes associated with the WRMP since the project has not yet been completed. The Whiting Refinery air permit, for example, defines completion of the WRMP to be no later than 180 days after the start-up of the new Coker.

The WRMP is anticipated to be completed on or before May 10, 2014. BP intends to update the Whiting Refinery FRP to incorporate any necessary changes within 60 days following the completion date. Accordingly, under the current schedule, BP will submit the updated Whiting Refinery FRP to EPA for review on or before July 9, 2014. Any other necessary updates to the FRP, including revisions necessary to maintain consistency with the National Contingency Plan or Area Contingency Plan, will be incorporated into the FRP during this timeframe as well.

Within 21 days of the date of this letter, we will submit the latest update to the personnel and contact information list for the FRP.

Please advise if you have any comments or concerns with BP's plans to update the FRP at the Whiting Refinery.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Gloria Blanco".

Gloria Blanco  
HSSE Manager